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SUBJECT: ITALIAN UNIONS INTEND TO WITHDRAW FROM ITS

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1. A CISL SOURCE, WHO WILL BE ATTENDING A MEETING OF EUROPEAN METAL WORKERS UNIONS IN FRANKFURT NEXT WEEK, INFORMS US THAT THE ITALIAN METAL WORKERS UNION (FIM-CISL, FIOM-CGIL AND UILM) APPARENTLY DO INTEND TO DISAFFILIATE FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE ITS ASSOCIATIONS. THE DECISION WILL EVIDENTLY BE MADE DURING THE FRANKFURT MEETING. OSTENSIBLE MOTIVATION IS TO CONCENTRATE THEIR AFFILIATION AT THE EUROPEAN LEVEL.

2. MOVE IS DOUBTLESS LINKED TO CONSIDERATIONS OF ITALIAN LABOR UNITY, WHICH IS PARTICULARLY ADVANCED IN THE METAL TRADES. THE DECISION IS ALSO PROBABLY COORDINATED WITH REPORTS, CARRIED IN ITALIAN PRESS TODAY, THAT WFTU, MEETING IN HAVANA, HAS APPROVED THE CGIL'S ASSOCIATE MEMBER STATUS. PAPERS REPORT THAT ALBERTO MASETTI HAS CONSEQUENTLY RESIGNED AS WFTU SECRETARY. CGIL WAS REPRESENTED IN HAVANA BY MARIO DIDO, CONFIDENTIAL

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